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Please see attached Amendment responsive to Examiner's Office Action mailed March 1, 2005 for Application Serial No. 10/004,527.

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Case No. 00RO27154259

**MS Amendment**  
**Commissioner For Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

In re Application of: **MARINET ET AL.**  
 Serial No.: **10/004,527**  
 Filed: **NOVEMBER 1, 2001**  
 For: **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PROTECTING INTEGRATED CIRCUITS AGAINST PIRACY**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant qualifies as a small entity under 37 CFR § 1.27.  
 No additional fee is required.

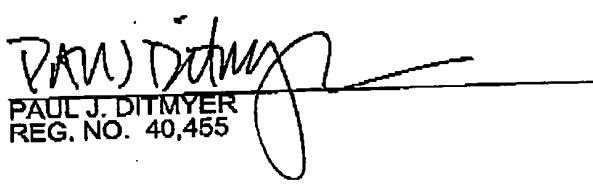
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MARINET ET AL. } Examiner: D. CERVETTI  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of March 1, 2005,  
please enter the amendments and consider the remarks set out  
below.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the  
replacement paragraphs which begin on 2 of this filing.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 5 of this filing.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this filing.